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TITLE:	METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR STORING DATA IN A DATA STORE		

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to a non-final office action dated February 24, 2006 ("Third Office Action") in which the Examiner rejected the claims as obvious (35 U.S.C. §103) over prior art. On May 8<sup>th</sup>, a phone interview was held between the Examiner and the attorney for Applicants. As noted in the Examiner Interview Summary mailed May 19<sup>th</sup>, amendments were discussed to further distinguish the claims from the cited art. Applicants made discussed amendments to the independent claims and added new dependent claims 55-57 including additional discussed grounds of distinction over the cited art. Applicants traverse the prior art rejections and submit that all pending claims 1, 3, 9-14, 17, 19, 25-30, 33, 35, 41-46, and 49-57 are patentable over the cited art and in condition for allowance for the reasons discussed herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11.